I have reviewed the KP Acoustics Planning Compliance Report, dated 22.08.24, and we have the following comments to make.

The amendments are welcomed and the report now broadly satisfies our concerns. The only matter that still requires further information on is how we control the number of air source heat pumps that will be in operation.

The report states *It is understood that the proposed plant installation is comprised of 7 No. Elco Aerotop L88 Air Source Heat Pumps; however, we understand that only four of the proposed units will run at any one time.*

The noise report therefore only assesses the noise impact from 4 of the 7 heat pumps being in operation and concludes that there will be no impact, my concern however is that if all 7 are in operation there will be a noise impact – can the use of any four heat pumps at any one time therefore be conditioned?

The report also recommend the inclusion of an acoustic enclosure which I assume we can condition?

Thanks

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